

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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MITCHELL D. STIPP, an individual, and  
AMY STIPP, an individual, and both as  
parents of MITCHELL STIPP, JR., a minor  
child,

**Plaintiffs,**

V.

DR. JULIE F. BEASLEY, an individual, and  
JULIE F. BEASLEY, PH.D., INC., a Nevada  
corporation,

#### Defendants.

Case No. 2:16-cv-00357-APG-PAL

## **ORDER DISMISSING CASE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION**

13 The plaintiffs filed this lawsuit in this court based on diversity jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C.  
14 §1332. (Dkt. #1 at 4:8-14.) That statute provides that “district courts shall have original jurisdiction  
15 of all civil actions where the matter in controversy exceeds the sum or value of \$75,000, exclusive  
16 of interest and costs, and is between . . . citizens of different States.” 28 U.S.C. §1332(a)(1).

17 The plaintiffs admit in their complaint that plaintiff Mitchell D. Stipp “is an individual  
18 residing in Clark County, State of Nevada and is a citizen of the State of Nevada.” (Dkt. #1 at 2:2-  
19 3.) The plaintiffs also admit that “Defendant Dr. Julie F. Beasley . . . is an individual residing in  
20 Clark County, State of Nevada and is a citizen of the State of Nevada” and that “Beasley Inc. is a  
21 corporation incorporated and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of Nevada, with its principal  
22 place of business in Clark County, Las Vegas, State of Nevada.” (*Id.* at 2:13-19.) Because Mitchell  
23 Stipp is a citizen of Nevada and both defendants are citizens of Nevada, complete diversity is  
24 lacking and the court cannot exercise diversity jurisdiction.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this case is dismissed.

Dated: February 25, 2016.

*C.L.*

**ANDREW P. GORDON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**